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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: CASCGRN PFOR (SIEVERS, ROBERT) (RUCHKIN, VIKTOR)  
SUBJECT: DISPOSITION OF SIEVERS CASE

SIEVERS CASE HAS APPARENTLY BEEN RESOLVED AS STATED BY SOVIET  
EMBASSY MINISTER-COUNSELOR VASEV, REFTEL A. PAN AM REP  
DHRAHORAD TOLD EMBOFF JANUARY 10 THAT WHEN V. SAMORUKHOV,  
MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION, RETURNED SIEVERS' LICENCE TO HIM  
ON DECEMBER 21, THE SOVIET OFFICIAL SAID NOTHING ABOUT ANY  
CONDITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS BEING PLACED ON SIEVERS. WHILE  
DRAHORAD DID NOT SPECIFICALLY ASK, HE ASSUMED THE CASE HAD  
BEEN RESOLVED. THIS ASSUMPTION WAS STRENGTHENED TWO DAYS  
LATER WHEN THE SOVIET LAWYER RETAINED BY PAN AM INFORMED  
DRAHORAD THAT THE SIEVERS CASE HAD BEEN ADMINISTRATIVELY  
RESOLVED. THERE WOULD BE NO COURT HEARING OR TRIAL AND  
SIEVERS WAS FREE TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY WHEN HE WISHED.  
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